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BETTER MAIL SERVICE.

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Postmaster George N. Julian has been officially informed that, commencing March 1, a new mail route will be established on the line of the Exeter, Hampton and Amesbury street railway, beginning at the Exeter passenger depot and including the Exeter post office, the Hampton post office and depot, the Hampton Falls post office, the Seabrook post office, the Smithtown post office and the Amesbury, Mass., post office.

For the service the Street Railway company will have fitted up a special combination mail and passenger car of the latest approved pattern, as the work will necessitate the detailing of a railway mail clerk. Three round trips a day will be made and one round trip on holidays.

The new mail route will prove a great convenience to the people in the towns named, and will also be greatly appreciated by Exeter residents wishing to send mail matter to North Hampton, Portsmouth and other points east, that can now be communicated with only by a circuitous route.

PROBATE COURT.

The following business was among the transactions at the session of probate court for the county of Rockingham for the week ending Feb. 8th:

Wills Proved.—Of Lydia M. Boardman, Newmarket, James A. Boardman, Bangor, Me., executor; Mary Ford, Derry, John M. Webster, administrator with will annexed; Mary E. Moore, Windham, John A. Moore, executor; Almira Marden, North Hampton, Emily A. Dow, executrix; William S. Healey, Candia, Eugene W. Healey, executor. Samuel Morrill, Candia, J. Lane Fitts, executor; Isaac S. Shute, Exeter, in solemn form, Sarah C. Clark, John N. Thompson, executors.

Foreign Will Filed.—Of Florence Wheaton, Boston, Mass.

Administration Granted.—In estates of Mary Butterfield, Nottingham, Isabella Garland, administratrix; Julia A. Greeley, Londonderry, Elbridge G. Greeley, administrator; Luella B. Elkins, Danville, Andrew J. Philbrick, administrator; Henry S. Johnson, Plaistow, Marlon E. Johnson, administrator.

Accounts Settled.—In estates of Sarah M. Sanborn, Portsmouth; Lydia Pickering, Portsmouth; Lavinia Fogg, North Hampton; Freeman Fiske, Chester; John Scott, Windham; John G. Moses, Portsmouth.

Inventories Filed.—In estates of Joseph Jones, Deerfield; John S. Keller, Sandown; Maria Piper, Portsmouth; Melenda Eastman, Danville.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

Naval Constructor Tawresy is slightly under the weather.

A post exchange is soon to be opened at the marine barracks.

A steam cutter will be shipped from here to Cavite, P. I., today.

The U. S. S. Lancaster is expected at the yard shortly for an overhauling.

A colonel will not be ordered here in command of the barracks before spring.

C. W. Steinberg of New York will report today for duty as clerk in equipment.

A son of Chief Carpenter B. F. Markham, U. S. N., has arrived from Portsmouth, Va., to take charge of the deceased.

STATE NEWS.

Charles A., the 5 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frasier, of Franklin, died Friday from diphtheria at their home on Sanborn street. Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Frasier buried their youngest daughter.

The contribution for the Shakers of Canterbury, as per the request of Gov. Rollins, is creeping up and it is hoped the amount already subscribed will reach much larger proportions. Up to date Mary Baker G. Eddy has given \$100; Governor Rollins, \$20; James M. McCoy of Plymouth, \$10 and from other sources a small amount has also been received.

The Exeter, Hampton and Amesbury Street Railway company is puzzled over a claim for damages submitted by a woman living on the line of the Amesbury division, founded on a "leaky" cellar, alleged to have been caused by the rumble of the moving cars.

The creditors of the Somersworth Machine company will hold a meeting at Walker hall, in Dover, next Wednesday, at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of hearing the report of the assignee, B. F. Nealley, and taking some action with regard to selling the property and closing up the affairs of the company.

One of the smartest old men in the state at the present time is Jacob Bunker of South Barrington, who works every day at the age of 87. At the present time he is chopping cord wood, having taken twenty five cords to cut for a neighbor. He is able to do a good day's work at his advanced age, and a short time ago he started to walk to Dover, a distance of twelve miles, preferring to walk rather than ride. He was overtaken by a neighbor and was finally prevailed upon to ride, though very reluctantly. Mr. Bunker has always been a staunch democrat, having voted for Andrew Jackson at his second election and for every democratic candidate for president down to the present time. He was born in Durham, but has lived in this town nearly all of his life.

The Durham Athletic association is planning to give a minstrel show at its quarters in White's block in the near future.

Mrs. Sarah C. Lovejoy died at her residence on Pleasant street, Bristol, Friday, at the advanced age of 98 years, 8 months and 19 days. Mrs. Lovejoy was the oldest person in town. She is survived by two sons, William C. of Bristol, and James A. Lovejoy of Manchester.

George Wilson of Suncook, who was serving a sentence at the county farm at Bosworth, made an escape from that institution. He walked off in his prison clothes.

The publishers of certain weekly newspapers that are printed in Manchester, state editorially that they can not print amateur poetry any longer, on account of demands on their space, but that such effusions will see some of the light of day if their authors will pay three cents per line to cover the cost of typesetting.

The fact that the commission having in charge the presentation to the battleship Kearsarge of a bronze tablet with the figure thereon of an Indian chief supposed to represent an aborigine by the name of Kearsarge, has caused no end of discussion as to whether there ever was an Indian chief by that name. Some state authorities claim that the Kearsarge mountain in Warner was named after an old settler by the name of Hezekiah Sargent, and that Kearsarge is the contraction of "Ki Sargent," the name of the farmer who once lived on the slopes of the mountain. The question of the origin of the name has in years past been the subject of much discussion, some sticking to the assertion that there was a noted Indian by the name whose camping grounds were in this state.

Sheriffs Scott and Collins of Rockingham county descended on Auburn Thursday evening and while they were there, conducted surprise parties at three different houses. The places visited were those of Amos Young, Will McPherson and Mrs. Mary McDonald, known as "Mrs. Mack," and who is the proprietor of the Pines. Evidence of traffic in alcoholic beverages was present in each place visited and the proprietors were notified to appear before the Auburn police court Friday morning. This they did and were assessed \$10 apiece by Judge Emery.

The Rev. Dr. John Wesley Merrill died at his home in Concord Friday. He was a distinguished clergyman of the Methodist Episcopal church and was held in high reverence, especially by members of Baker Memorial church of Concord, where he had been a regular attendant of late years. He was in his 91st year and had been restricted to his North Street home during the past few months.

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ACROSS THE RIVER

Brief Notes From Kittery Gathered for Herald Readers Today.

The only Kittery divorce case before Judge Stroitt at the January session of the York county supreme court was that of Willis E. Keen vs. Alice E. Keen. (L. H. Burbank for libellant. Adultery. Care and custody of minor children, Charles W. and Allen B. Keen to libellant. Decree granted.

Some time ago the principal of the high school offered a prize for the best declamation. The contest will be held next Tuesday. The judges will be Horace Mitchell and Misses M. Gertrude Chase and Lillian E. Jackson.

Mrs. William T. Burrows has arrived home from a two weeks' visit in Quincy, Mass.

W. B. Andrews of Portland is visiting his father, Rev. G. C. Andrews, for a few days.

Miss M. A. Watson of Nottingham, N. H., who has been visiting in town, has returned to her home.

People will have enough to talk about for some time in the sensational incident here on Thursday evening. "Considerable sympathy is expressed for those who will be the most injured by the affair and it is in consideration of their respectable position and social standing that the names of those who are implicated in the case are held from publication. If reports be true, however, there will be proceedings that will probably result seriously for the principals. It is said that they were in each other's company on Friday evening, in spite of the disgraceful event of the evening previous.

Mr. Jethro H. Sweet is again able to attend to his business in Portsmouth, after a severe illness.

Mrs. Frank W. Shannon has returned from a visit to her mother, in Chelsea, Mass.

GREENLAND.

GREENLAND, Feb. 10.
The funeral services over the remains of Miss Mary E. Wentworth were held yesterday afternoon at her late residence on the Bay side road at two o'clock. Rev. E. A. Robie officiated. Interment was in Central cemetery.

Mrs. William H. Brackett was a visitor in Portsmouth last Thursday. A few young people from here are

CONTEMPLATING ATTENDING THE PLAY AT MUSIC HALL THIS EVENING.

The illustrated lecture "Splendors of the Alps" that was to have been held in the town hall last evening was postponed on account of the weather. No fixed date has since been made for it, but Prof. Cross assures the people of this town that he will visit here again in the near future.

The Wapponago basket ball team is to meet the Delapoons of Portsmouth again next Thursday.

It was just a trifle wet here yesterday. Work has been commenced on the new overhead bridge at the B. & M. crossing on Breakfast Hill road.

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FUNNY DOC. QUIGLEY.

Doc. Quigley is the only man who can make an audience laugh heartily with funny dancing. He is the possessor of a pair of comical legs which when set in motion to entrancing negro melody, compels an audience to convulse with laughter. Everybody remembers with pleasure the funny looking man with the loose jointed limbs, of the Al. G. Field Greater minstrels—he that created such a furore with the ludicrous dance. He is the inimitable Doc. Quigley and the funny young man is again with the company and has during the past summer invented an entirely new character dance which he is presenting with even more success than he did last season. Mr. Quigley has made a close study of the character of eccentric comers and has every characteristic down to a point of perfection. He not only dances with his feet, but with a most clever expression of his features indicates to the audience that he thoroughly enjoys the capering antics of his legs.

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United States Claims For Indemnity Will Be Paid—Consuls Will Be Re-organized—Right to Build—Armenian Affairs.

New York, Feb. 9.—Among the passengers on the Hamburg-American liner First Bismarck, which arrived yesterday from Genoa and Naples, was Oscar S. Straus, United States minister to Turkey, who has left his post to visit this country on leave of absence for the first time since his appointment, in September, 1898. Mr. Straus was accompanied by Mrs. Straus and their children, Miss Alice and Master Roger Straus.

Nathan Straus and a large number of friends were on the pier at Hoboken to greet the returning diplomat and his family.

The minister left Constantinople late in December, proceeding slowly through Austria and Italy. During his stay here, which will necessarily be comparatively limited, the minister will make an exhaustive report and confer at length with the state department as to several very intricate and important questions regarding the relations of the United States with Turkey. When Mr. Straus reached his post a year and a half ago, the United States and the sublime Porte had differences of opinion on a number of weighty questions. The settlement of these questions was in doubt. Mr. Straus has not only solved these problems satisfactorily, but his services have exceeded in minute detail, it is declared by officials, anything done in the diplomatic field of this government for years. The most important and delicate matter placed in the hands of Minister Straus was the adjustment of the indemnity claims against Turkey incurred in 1895, when a large amount of American missionary property was destroyed by Turkish religious fanatics during the terrible disorders in Armenia.

Turkey Will Pay Claims.

"The Sultan assured me the day before I left Constantinople," said Mr. Straus in discussing this question, "that the indemnity claims filed by this government would be paid in full, and we have also won the right to reconstruct the Phanariote college buildings at Harpoot which were razed in 1895 during the Armenian troubles. I had a most bitter contest on this point. We have also secured the right to establish United States consulates throughout Turkey and the acceptance of our consul at Erzerum, in eastern Turkey. This latter point especially was one upon which the Turkish department of state refused to agree with us for a long time. We have at last secured what is called the 'open door' in Turkey, which means that our citizens now have the right to travel unmolested through any part of the empire. This was introduced from 1895 until eight months ago. The entrance of American missionaries into Turkey was secured only after great difficulty. The Turkish government, instigated by the local millers, issued a mandate for the exclusion of all foreign missionaries. This law was working great injury to a young but growing American trade with the Ottoman empire."

Asked if the Armenian revolutionary movement, which, it has been said, was primarily responsible for the massacres in 1895, was dead, Mr. Straus replied: "No; it is still fermenting under the surface, assisted, no doubt, by Turkey's neighbors. There is no reason to believe, however, that there is any danger of an uprising of any kind in the near future."

Stay For Captain Carter.

New York, Feb. 9.—Former Captain Oberlin M. Carter, United States engineer, who is studying law in Castle Williams, the military prison on Governors Island, will remain there until the United States supreme court decides what action it will take on the application for a writ of certiorari made in the prisoner's behalf. Carter asks the higher court to review the decision affirming Judge Lacombe's action dismissing the habeas corpus which was sworn out after his conviction by court martial. The United States court of appeals out of courtesy to the United States supreme court has staid the issuance of the mandate. This prevents Carter's removal to Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

Macrum Returns to Washington.

East Liverpool, O., Feb. 9.—Charles E. Macrum, late United States consul at Pretoria, South African Republic, has left this city for Washington, where he will present his report to the secretary of state. Mr. Macrum was seen before he left the city, but he still maintained that mysterious silence which has characterized him since his departure from the United States from the Transvaal. During his stay in this city he revealed his secret to his father and avowed nothing, but, like their son, their lips are sealed when pressed for an interview. Mr. Macrum has promised to make a statement tomorrow.

Shepard Would Not Resign.

Cornwall, N. Y., Feb. 9.—At the regular meeting of the trustees of the New York State Soldiers and Sailors' home all the trustees were present but Messrs. Sickles, King and Schoenmaker, who have resigned. Captain John M. Palmer of Albany was elected president, Colonel Joseph P. Conroy of Rochester vice president, Ous H. Smith of Bath secretary and Frank Campbell of Bath treasurer. The resignation of Commandant Charles O. Shepard was demanded, but he refused to comply.

Pennsylvania Miners to Strike.

Phillipsburg, Pa., Feb. 9.—A mass meeting of 2,000 miners in the Spangler, Hastings-Barnesborough, 1921, a district, held with the action of the national convention in delaying the advance in wages until April 1, rejected the report of the representatives they sent to the national convention and unanimously resolved to suspend work Saturday, the 10th inst., and remain out until the operators had advanced the rate per ton for digging from 50 to 60 cents.

Inmate Man's Terrible Crime.

Middle Ridge, Wis., Feb. 9.—Edmund Ott, a carpenter, today shot and seriously wounded his wife, killed his young child, set fire to his house, which was totally destroyed, and then committed suicide, sending a bullet through his brain. Insanity is thought to have caused the tragedy.

Wants \$21,000,000 For His Interest In Steel Company.

Pittsburg, Feb. 9.—H. C. Frick has retained John G. Johnson of Philadelphia and A. M. Watson and Willis F. McCook of Pittsburg to enter suit against Andrew Carnegie to recover \$21,000,000 as the value of his shares of stock in the Carnegie Steel company.

The suit may be entered next week and will be the first fierce contest between Mr. Frick and Mr. Carnegie.

Mr. Frick is also said to be preparing a suit in behalf of the minority stockholders of the H. C. Frick Coke company against the Carnegie company because coke was sold to the steel company too cheaply.

While Mr. Frick's holdings in the Carnegie company are rated as being worth \$21,000,000, the litigation, on account of the many ramifications, will involve something like \$80,000,000.

It will be one of the most important suits ever inaugurated, as it will bring to a head the two greatest steel barons in the world. There is a bare possibility that Mr. Carnegie will settle. If he does not, the world may learn for the first time how the enormous Carnegie dividends have been made and how the concern could underbid all competitors.

Persons close to Mr. Frick say there is no likelihood of a settlement, as the gap between Mr. Frick's demands and Mr. Carnegie's ultimatum is said to be too wide to cover. Mr. Carnegie evidently believes this, as he has relieved Attorney P. C. Knox and former Judge James H. Reed, his regular counsel, from the disagreeable task of fighting a personal friend, Dalzell, Scott & Gordon have been retained by Mr. Carnegie as counsel for the Carnegie Steel company in this particular case. Leading New York lawyers will probably be added to Mr. Carnegie's list.

Heavy Storm In the West.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Yesterday proved to be the most remarkable February day in the history of the weather bureau of Chicago since 1876. From 62 to 5 degrees above zero was the record made in 17 hours. The day was opened here by a temperature which reminded one of spring. Shortly after midnight a heavy rainstorm began and continued until the afternoon, when it changed to snow, and for several hours there was a miniature blizzard, the wind reaching a velocity of 62 miles an hour. Toward midnight the wind subsided, and the temperature commenced to drop and had nearly reached the zero mark at night. Telegraphic reports from various cities in the northwest were to the effect that the cold was accompanied with blizzards, which were greatly interfering with traffic. At Minneapolis all telephone and telegraph wires were down, and trains on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road had been abandoned. Throughout northern Iowa business was practically suspended.

New Cabinet Office.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The senate committee on commerce made a favorable report on the bill to create a department of commerce and industries, the head of which is to have a seat in the cabinet. The bill gives to the new department general jurisdiction over the foreign and internal commerce except internal revenue and customs, over transportation facilities by land and water except in cases under the jurisdiction of the interstate commerce commission, over the geological survey, the mining industries, the fisheries, including fur seals, and also over the manufacturing industries, including the securing of foreign markets.

New York Legislature.

Albany, Feb. 9.—The McCarron bill to allow Brooklyn to take water from Suffolk county was killed in the senate yesterday. The bill was reported adversely by the judiciary committee, and Senator McCarron's effort to overthrow the committee's decision was beaten, 32 to 8. Governor Roosevelt signed the rapid transit tunnel road bill. Assemblyman Weeks introduced a bill to keep heavy weapons off Fifth avenue during certain hours. An antismoking bill, prescribing severe penalties, was introduced. Bills have been introduced to make the Kings county sheriff, county clerk and register salaried offices.

Central America and the Canal.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Official telegrams have been received by several of the Central American representatives in Washington stating that the Hay-Panamafo treaty, concerning the Nicaragua canal route with general approval throughout Central America. These favorable assurances come not only from the two countries most directly concerned, but also from Guatemala, Honduras and Costa Rica, which to some extent share in the prospective advantages the canal will bring to that section of the country.

Taft Will Hear Kentucky Cases.

Cincinnati, Feb. 9.—Judge William H. Taft, who has just been appointed president of the new Philippine commission, yesterday gave notice to counsel that on next Monday at 2 p. m. he would hear arguments on the petition of the state officers of Kentucky other than governor and lieutenant governor for a restraining order against the three members of the Kentucky state board of election commissioners and the contestants for state offices other than those of governor and lieutenant governor.

Pro-Boer Orator Mobbed.

Windsor, Feb. 9.—Lewis Gabriel, a Welshman of St. Charles, Manx, who had announced a lecture on the South African war from the pro-Boer standpoint, was met at the hall by an angry assemblage of citizens, who pelted him with spoiled eggs and various missiles. The orator was forced to run for cover, finding shelter from the attack in a linen bar. The assemblage then paraded the streets, cheering and singing patriotic songs.

Mob Harasses Police Captive.

Buffalo, Feb. 9.—Police Sergeant Shuck and Patrolman Redden while attempting to arrest a disorderly youth in the Polish quarter of East Buffalo last night were set upon by a mob of 200 men and women. They were rolled in the mud, beaten and their prisoner released. The rescuers of the east side prefects were ordered out at midnight, but the rioters had retired to cover.

Mr. Phelps' Condition.

New Haven, Feb. 9.—The information received at a late hour relative to the condition of Hon. E. J. Phelps was to the effect that he is a very sick man. He does not seem to gain from the unexpected serious change in his condition of two days ago, and it is announced that he is not yet out of danger.

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LAWLESSNESS IN CHICAGO.

The Windy City Is Overrun by Thugs.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Owing to a lack of money for lighting purposes a great part of the city is in darkness. This has led to what amounts to a reign of terror after midnight in certain localities. Thugs and "hoodlums" men have taken advantage of the darkness to rob with impunity. The list of reported burglaries and street robberies foots up a score a day, while those not heard of officially are equally numerous.

This state of affairs is not confined to the outlying and unprotected districts. Some of the most aggravated cases of lawlessness have occurred much nearer the heart of the city. The police do what they can, but they are nearly helpless under the present circumstances. A petition has been presented for an increase of the police force, but a still larger number of citizens demand that the lights be turned on.

Last night three thugs held up and robbed two men at 9 o'clock in full view of many people. In the outlying districts citizens are afraid to venture out for fear of molestation. The police advise every night worker to go armed. They say that they never before sold so great a number of revolvers as they have during December and January. Even the business districts down town are poorly lighted, and some streets would be in utter darkness were it not for the lights from the shops.

Several of the hold up victims were shot, and one case of the kind last night was followed by one of the bystanders killing a neighbor.

STEAMER ASHORE.

The Gate City Runs on Long Island Sounds.

New York, Feb. 9.—The steamship Gate City of the Ocean Steamship company went on the outer bar three miles east of the Moriches life saving station, Long Island, late last night. There was a dense fog at the time, and it is said the steamer was driven into the sand which forms the outer shoal. At present she is lying easy in a comparatively smooth sea. The Gate City had on board 49 persons, three of whom were women. When she was aground, her whistle signaled to the life-saving station, and they at once launched a surf boat. They found the vessel in no great danger, but the captain of the life savers volunteered to take off the passengers. The women decided to go ashore, and they were taken to the beach and given possession of the station house. The surf boat immediately put out again to the stranded steamer, with the intention of bringing any of the male passengers ashore that desired to be taken off the steamer.

A report comes from the Forge river life saving station that the crew at the Moriches station will try to land all the passengers from the Gate City by the breeches buoy.

Hospital Corps For Boers.

Boston, Feb. 9.—The Globe says that a hospital corps has been organized in the United States composed of skillful physicians, capable nurses and other attaches, and 10 tons of medical supplies have been secured, with extreme care not to violate the laws of neutrality, to start for South Africa Thursday, Feb. 15. A contingent of the force, including men from Lynn, Lowell, Lawrence, Malden, Boston, Holyoke, Worcester, Springfield and Chicopee Falls, will leave New England for New York next Tuesday evening to join others who start from the west next Sunday evening. The members of the expedition will be in charge of a committee representing various Irish societies from the time of their arrival in New York until the steamer sails on which they are to cross the ocean. The equipment, uniforms, tents, surgical instruments and medicines are now in New York.

The Clark Case.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Senator Clark's managers occupied the witness stand throughout yesterday in the investigation which the senate committee on privileges and elections is conducting into the election of the senator from Missouri. Mr. Clifford concluded his testimony, and he

BULLER HOLDS THE HILL

Believed to Have Been Bringing Up Heavy Artillery.

BOER GUNS COMMAND THE ROAD.

Private Message Declares Relief of Lady Smith Certain—London Stated Over Loss Total of Two Hundred and Thirty-three Up to Tuesday.

London, Feb. 9.—This morning's news, so far as it goes, leaves General Buller holding the positions north of the Tugela which he won on Monday and defended against Boer attacks on Tuesday.

On Wednesday the British commander seems to have been holding fast to what he had secured and making no attempt to advance. His heavy guns and transport are evidently being brought up. This unavoidable delay again gives the Boers an opportunity to mass a strong force in front of him.

The valley through which it is believed General Buller plans to push his way to relieve Lady Smith is dominated on one side by Vaal Krantz and on the other side by Doorn Kloof. The British hold the former hill or ridge, but the Boers have many men and guns on the latter and can sweep the valley and prevent the passage of British infantry.

It is certain that artillery will play a very important part in the attempt to force a way through the pass, so that General Buller may not have resumed the offensive until yesterday morning, if indeed, he did then.

Says Lady Smith's Relief Is Certain.

It is learned that a private cable to a well known peer from Spearman's farm says that on Wednesday Buller was holding the position gained and that Lady Smith's relief is certain. While, of course, the sender's optimism must be taken into account, it seems certain that the outlook for the British arms is rosier than at any time since the war began.

A large crowd was at the war office throughout yesterday. Buller's first list of casualties, numbering about 230, was received in stony silence. The people have made up their minds that heavy losses are inevitable and are prepared.

No intelligence as to the destination of Lord Roberts and Kitchener has yet reached London.

From the other fields of war the only important news comes from General Gatacre, who has reported the Boers made an attack upon the British position near Sterkstroom, apparently to prove that they were not napping.

The report that armed Kaifirs have been found among the Boer deers in the trenches at Vaal Krantz is seized upon by some London papers as a justification for the employment of Indian native troops in South Africa. There is no doubt that a couple of battalions of those wonderful hill fighters, the Gurkhas, would be very useful.

P. D. Armour, Jr., Leaves \$7,000,000.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—The contents of the will of Philip D. Armour, Jr., who died in California ten days ago, have been made known, although the document will not be filed for probate until next week. Mr. Armour leaves about \$7,000,000 to his widow and two children, his estate consisting of an interest in the business of Armour & Co., a residence in Michigan avenue, a country home at Oconomowoc, Wis., and several hundred thousand dollars in bank and stocks and bonds. As the older Mr. Armour is practically incapacitated for business the management of the Armour interests has devolved upon his son, J. Ogden Armour.

Bryan in Paterson.

New York, Feb. 9.—William Jennings Bryan last night addressed an audience of about 2,000 persons in Turn hall, Paterson, N. J. He said he liked better to talk in the east than in the west because he desired to snatch a brand from the burning rather than to talk to those who already were saved. He said also that he had been denounced as a demagogue, but that his efforts were being devoted toward bringing the rich and poor closer together. There was a cloud over the constitution, he declared, but it would soon roll away. The cloud was that all men were not born free and equal.

Funeral of General Lawton.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Yesterday afternoon at the Church of the Covenant, between the hours of 2 and 6 o'clock, thousands of persons passed the remains of General Lawton embowered in palms and draped with the national flag and amid banks of floral designs. The services at the church today will be read by Rev. T. S. Handin, the pastor of the Church of the Covenant. The funeral oration will be delivered by Dr. M. Woolsey Stryker, president of Hamilton college, Clinton, N. Y.

The Case of Roger Williams.

Boston, Feb. 9.—The proposition before the legislature to revoke the edict of expulsion passed by the general court of Massachusetts against Roger Williams in 1635 has attracted considerable attention. It has developed, however, that the action was revoked in 1676 in recognition of effective service rendered by the preacher in the contest with the Indians during the progress of King Philip's war.

Dr. Steinitz Insane.

New York, Feb. 9.—Dr. William Steinitz, the famous chess player, has been examined at Bellevue hospital by State Examiners Fitch and Whitman and pronounced insane. It is said that friends will raise a fund for the placing of the chess champion in a private sanitarium. Unless this is done Steinitz will be sent to the state insane asylum on Ward's island.

Fourth Class Postmasters.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The following fourth class postmasters have been appointed: New York—Barnes, H. R. Newcomb; North Asper, G. W. Talbot; South Bradford, F. C. Lamphear; Verdoy, Burnt Warner.

Wild Animal Kills Live Stock.

Middletown, N. Y., Feb. 9.—An animal which the farmers in the vicinity of Middletown, N. Y., believe to be an immense wolf and which is causing them much alarm is attacking live stock in that vicinity.

Flood In Buffalo.

Buffalo, Feb. 9.—The flooding of Cayuga creek has inundated several square miles of the southeastern section of this city. Residents of the district can navigate only by boat.

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The Situation in Kentucky.
Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 9.—Unless some action regarding the Louisville agreement is taken by Governor Taylor today or tomorrow, or some word sent to them concerning his intentions, the Democrats will proceed upon the hypothesis that he does not intend to take any action and will go ahead with the organization of their state government at Louisville. A conference was held last evening in the Capitol hotel, at which Governor Beckham, Senator Blackburn, S. J. Shackelford and John K. Hendrick were present. The delay of Governor Taylor in declaring himself regarding the Louisville agreement was discussed at length, and it was agreed by all present that in their opinion the Democrats had waited long enough. It was agreed at Louisville that the legislature should meet in the Capitol on Monday, and it is now so near that time that the Democrats are beginning to think that Governor Taylor will take no action regarding it within the time limit set. One day more will be allowed for some intimation from Governor Taylor and if it is not forthcoming another state government will be organized at Louisville.

Restitution to Parr's Bank.
London, Feb. 9.—The sum of £20,000, the balance of £60,000 stolen from Parr's bank a year ago, has been mysteriously returned. The notes were found inclosed in a customer's passbook. A cable dated Jan. 27, 1899, bore notice to the value of about £50,000 mysteriously disappeared from Parr's bank, limited, Bartholomew lane, London, and it was supposed they were stolen. The affair took a dramatic turn Jan. 26, the same year, when the chairman of the bank, at a meeting of the shareholders, announced that £40,000, in the biggest notes, had been returned to the bank by post. The remainder of the money was in notes of smaller amounts, which could be easily passed, and was therefore considered lost.

Mauser Bullet Wounds.
London, Feb. 9.—Sir William MacCormac, chief surgeon with the British forces in South Africa, in a communication to The Lancet, expresses astonishment at some of the recoveries in the cases of abdominal injuries from bullets. He does not specify the class, but presumably means the Mauser. "The rapid closing of the small perforations which the bullet causes," says Sir William, "may account for the absence of any severe symptoms, but in some instances the nature and position of the wounds and the direction which the bullet in every probability followed render recovery virtually without symptoms of any importance inexplicable."

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TEA TABLE TALK.

Here is the latest of all the many jokes for which the South African war is responsible: Boer son—"Father, if I have a gun in one hand and a Bible in the other, and the enemy come up to me, which shall I drop first?" Boer father—"The enemy, my son."

A Portsmouth man who came down from Boston on the five o'clock train, Friday afternoon, said that when he left the Hub everybody was talking about a disastrous defeat that Buller had sustained. Rumor had it that the Boers had entrapped him again and his army had been thrown back toward the Tugela in a rout.

Now that the habit of the women removing their hats in the theatres and concert halls has become so general, why not apply the same thing to churches? A flower garden bonnet is twice as troublesome to those in the rear pews in a house of worship as to those sitting away back in a theatre, because in churches there is no slope to the rows, but all are on the same level. However, the women would of course rebel at the idea of taking off their headgear at a religious service, for you know half of them go to church just to show off their new millinery.

The state papers are giving a great deal of prominence to the coming visit of the Kearsarge and Alabama to this port next summer, thereby showing that they realize the importance of the event to New Hampshire as well as to Portsmouth. Let them keep it up, and the celebration cannot fail to be what it ought to be.

The proposed lease of the Fitchburg railroad by the Boston and Maine continues to absorb in a considerable measure the attention of the local railroad men. Opinions are about evenly divided as to the benefit that might accrue to the trainmen in this section, and some lively discussions may be heard at the gatherings of the Boston and Maine employees. The general opinion seems to be that the deal is bound to go through.

Pull out your red flannel mittens and earlaps. The men in Washington who manufacture the weather tell us that we are to catch, today, the tail end of that blizzard which has been freezing up the west for a day or two. This smack of the real winter article, and tends to the belief that gentle spring is not so near as she has been reported. Fogg.

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The important statement which Mr. Maerum was to make is still locked up in his sphinx like bosom.

Peace is heaving into sight down in Kentucky, but it'll be mighty lucky if somebody doesn't plug it with a revolver.

As gallant and able a general as ever wore the military uniform of this country was laid at rest in Arlington Thursday.

Here's a queer state of things. Some folks are living in the twentieth century, while others are plodding along in the same old nineteenth.

They're scooping out a heap of gold dust from the sand at Cape Nome, but you've got to have a lot of sand yourself to brave the existence up there.

Aguinaldo has probably slowed down to a dog trot, by this time, having found out that nobody but Senator Hoar and imitation Senator Pettigrew cares where he is.

It is no wonder that one of the jurors in the Molineux case is sick. The only wonder is that all of them haven't been stricken with nervous prostration or locomotor ataxia long before this.

The democratic papers persist in terming Goebel a martyr, and yet he met his death while seeking to bring to naught an election by the people which made his political opponent governor fairly and squarely.

The despatches say that Mr. Syndicate Miller looked seedy when he arrived in New York in the custody of a detective. A few hundred of those who fished in his investment pool have been looking and feeling very seedy ever since it ran dry.

The American people will not allow, for an instant, an agreement whereby this country builds the Nicaragua canal at its own expense and turns it over to England and all the continental powers to use at their convenience in peace or war, free of charge.

A man in Plymouth, Mass., has sued some other fellow for alienating his wife's affections. He wants the modest sum of twenty five thousand dollars. This will cause some folks to remark that the affections of a woman who allows them to be alienated are not worth thirty cents to anybody.

All these men who are rich seem to be making fools of themselves in public dissertations on the question of this world's goods. Here's Bryan now declaring that "wealth hokes down truth." Yet Bryan would have the people believe that he is giving them the real thing in the truth line.

A man in New Hampshire attempted to mix himself a drink at a soda fountain and used ammonia in the beverage with fatal effect. Do they keep ammonia on draft in New Hampshire?—Bridford Journal.

Perhaps, but not the kerosene-alcohol-blackening mixture which they sell from their hip pockets down in Maine.

The Massachusetts editors who are frequently sneering at the "miscegenation of justice" up here in New Hampshire can now turn their attention to that case in North Adams, in their own state, where a ruffian who turned boiling hot water on his wife one night was sentenced to only three months in the house of correction!

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Natural Obstacles And Boer Riflemen Too Much For Him.

FORCED TO EVACUATE HIS POSITION ON VAALKRANTZ.

LONDON, Feb. 10, 4.30 A. M.—London accepts the Boer statement that General Buller has failed in his third attempt to reach Ladysmith. This statement was passed by the British censor at Alden and is read in the light of Mr. Buller's speech in the house of commons, when he said that no news had been received by the war office which would lead to the inference that Buller had pressed his advance at all. Winston Churchill wires that Vaalkrantz was quite impracticable for the heavy guns required to hold it. His cablegram leaves Buller, on Tuesday night, just about sending a fresh brigade to relieve the tired defenders of Vaalkrantz. The descriptive writers with Buller have been allowed a rather free hand in explaining the ugly position of the British army and the natural obstacles to be overcome before Ladysmith can be reached. It is easy to infer that with Boer riflemen and artillery to defend them, those hills and jungles cannot be overcome unless the empire is prepared to hear very bad news.

BULLER FORCED BACK.

LONDON, Feb. 10, 5.15 A. M.—A despatch from Spearman's Camp, dated yesterday, says that owing to the Boer crossfire and the impossibility of defending his position on the ridges, General Buller ordered his troops to withdraw from it.

BULLER FAILS UTTERLY.

LEIPSIG, Feb. 9.—A paper here publishes a despatch from a special correspondent, who claims to be positive of the news, that the third attempt of Buller to advance to the relief of Ladysmith has failed utterly.

MR. HAY IS ALL RIGHT.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Secretary Hay today received a cablegram from Mr. Adelbert S. Hay, the new United States consul at Pretoria, saying that he received his exchequer on Wednesday and that everything was satisfactory. This removes the apprehension that the Boers might refuse to recognize Mr. Hay, because Col. Boerne had failed to secure recognition from the American government as an official representative of the Transvaal republic.

AND STILL AGAIN.

LONDON, Feb. 9, midnight.—The war office announces that no further news from South Africa will be published tonight.

BALFOUR TALKS ABOUT THE WAR.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Mr. Balfour, the government leader, in replying to a question in the house of commons today as to whether the war office was possessed of any fresh news from the scene of war, said: "Our information leads to the inference that General Buller is not pushing his advance from the position which he has secured. We do not think that he should be pressed for details of his movements at this time, nor do we think that, even if he should supply us with details, the operations he is making public until the operations have been completed. We have no news about MacDonald."

HONG KONG GENEROSITY.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Secretary Long received today a cablegram from Admiral Watson, commanding on the Asiatic station, dated at Hong Kong, February 5th, saying that the residents of Hong Kong had subscribed one thousand dollars for the support of the families of the men who were killed or injured in the explosion on the gunboat Wheeling, January 27th. Admiral Watson added that all the wounded were doing well. Secretary Long cabled, in reply, the department's appreciation of this generosity.

ADVICES FROM SAMOA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Samoa advices brought by the Alameda report

MOST BEYOND BELIEF.
If it Were Not For Portsmouth Indorsement, People Might Be Skeptical.
No wonder people doubt! So many statements are made. Statements endorsed by strangers. From people living in distant towns. Don't know them and can't see them. Portsmouth people want local proof. That's what we have here. It's not beyond belief because it can be proved.
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Mrs. C. H. Gould, 12 Cass street, says:—Reading one evening in a newspaper I came across an advertisement about Doan's Kidney Pills and it occurred to me that they would be good for my son. He had weak kidneys for years, having been injured by a fall from a cow. For a long time after the mischance it was thought that he would not recover, and when he was able to get around his kidneys were in a very serious condition. Finally it developed into a very bad back, accompanied with urinary weakness, dizziness and pains in the head. I got Doan's Kidney Pills for him at Philbrick's pharmacy in Franklin Block. They proved to be the very thing he required. The aching and loupiness in his back stopped, the urinary weakness was corrected, and in all other ways he was improved.
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that there is now but little real trouble between the Malietoa and Mataafa factions in the island. Each accuses the other of having caused the recent trouble. When the Alameda left Honolulu the hospital ship Missouri was in the harbor. She reported a very rough passage from Nagasaki and the death of sixteen of her passengers on the way, from wounds and dysentery. The Missouri had on board 276 people when she left Manila.

MOLINEAUX JURY WILL RETIRE THIS MORNING.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Assistant District Attorney Osborne tonight finished his argument for the prosecution in the Molineux poisoning case. Tomorrow morning Recorder Goff will charge the jury and immediately afterward the twelve men are expected to retire for the formulation of a verdict.

BIG STRIKE IN HAVANA.

HAVANA, Feb. 9.—About fourteen thousand men are now on strike in this city, a majority of them cigar workers. Many of the manufacturers attribute the spread of the strike to the presence and influence of Samuel Gompers.

ROUTINE BUSINESS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—As no senator was prepared to open a discussion of the finance measure today, the senate transacted only routine business and adjourned early to allow the members to attend the Lawton funeral.

TAYLOR STILL STUBBORN.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 9.—Governor Taylor stated to a representative of the Associated Press this afternoon that he would not take any action on the Louisville agreement for some time, if he did at all.

HIGH WATER AND ICE JAM.

BUFFALO, Feb. 9.—High water and a jam of ice in Buffalo creek today caused a damage of \$100,000 to shipping and property along the stream.

PRAIRIE SAILS FOR ENGLAND.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The Prairie sailed today from Baltimore for Newcastle, England, with the crew for the new cruiser Albany and government exhibits for the Paris exhibition.

MR. PHELPS' CONDITION.

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 9.—The condition of Hon. E. J. Phelps tonight is announced to be about the same as it was last night, but he is a little stronger, if anything.

SPIKE SULLIVAN DEFEATED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Joe Gannus won over Spike Sullivan tonight in the fourteenth round, Sullivan's seconds throwing up the sponge.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Forecast for New England: Fair and much colder Saturday, fair and continued colder Sunday, with light to fresh northwest winds.

ERNE WON.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Frank Erne, the lightweight champion, got the decision over "Chicago" Jack Daley in the sixth round tonight.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to the soothing, healing influences of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

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Chief Constructor Higginson frequently receives endorsements like the following, which go a good ways toward proving that he has taken the right stand in the great fight he is making for sheathed ships for the United States navy:
CHARLOTTE, MINN. CO., N. Y., February 2d, 1900.
Chief Constructor Higginson, of the Navy Board:
My Dear Sir—I noticed in the press that the board does not see the advantage of the sheathing of the ships' bottoms. Thirty years ago I recommended to the company of the Royal mail line I steamed (from) to scratch the bottoms of their steamers just above the bilge. They did not heed my advice, but in ten years after I proposed the above they sunk in the rapid of the St. Lawrence fifteen of their steamers. The expense of raising steamers averaged about \$80,000.
At last two of the directors called on me and asked what could be done. I at once replied, sheathe with four inch rock elm. One was of the opinion that they would draw more water. On the contrary, they draw on the average two inches less. Since they adopted the sheathing not one boat has been sunk.
My argument is: The iron for a backer, the wood for a fender. You have the best bottom that floats.
Pardon me for writing the above, but I feel so much interested in our beautiful navy that I could not refrain for offering what I know about the sheathing of steamers. Very respectfully,
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The said Board will be in session at the same place on March 13th, 1900, from 8 A. M. to 12 M. and 1 P. M. to 4 P. M. for the purpose of granting certificates to those legal voters whose names are omitted from the List.

Voters must be in mind that it is their personal duty to see that their names are on the List by presenting themselves at some meeting of the Board. This clause will be strictly enforced.

Lorenzo T. HURNHAM, Chairman.
EDWARD HAWLEY, Clerk. Jan 29, 1900

AGUINALDO HAS FLED.

War Department Believes He Is Out of Luzon.

NOT WORRIED AT HIS ESCAPE.

Perhaps the Best Solution of a Perplexing Problem—No News of Late Dictator's Present Whereabouts Is to Be Had—Prisoners Won't Talk.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The war department believes that Aguinaldo has fled from the island of Luzon. The department officials would be surprised to hear from him next as in London or Paris, in company with Aguinaldo.

About six weeks ago the war department had reason to believe that Aguinaldo was in Cavite province, where the southern band of insurgents had gone to swell the remnants of the Filipino army.

His presence in Cavite, however, caused the war department to issue orders that he be located at all hazards and at any expense. Officers were instructed to closely interrogate all prisoners and the pacifics. This plan has been followed for more than a month, but the war department has not been able to get the slightest information.

The prisoners are stolid in their refusal to tell anything about their chief, so that the war department is at its wits' end and has given up all hope that Aguinaldo will be in evidence when the final surrender is made.

It is believed that he has with the money he has had at his command bribed some of the Spanish coastwise traders to get him off the island.

The general comment on the news is that the war department does not regret the escape of Aguinaldo. It would have been extremely doubtful what measure of amnesty to grant him, but it is believed that if he proved that he has left the island he will in all probability be excluded from the terms of the proclamation of amnesty and that a price will always be on his head to prevent his return to the archipelago.

The war department is not disposed to criticize General Otis for the escape of Aguinaldo, or rather the moral certainty that he has escaped. On the contrary, it is stated at the department that the department will sustain General Otis in every respect.

Dr. Frank Standish Bradford Dead.

New York, Feb. 9.—Dr. Frank Standish Bradford has died at Morristown, N. J. He was born in Middleborough, Mass., May 20, 1830, and was a direct descendant of Governor Bradford and Captain Miles Standish. After graduation from Brown university in 1853 he taught mathematics in Mississippi for a year. Later he studied medicine, taking his degree in Philadelphia. For a time he practiced his profession in Providence and Charleston becoming surgeon in a Rhode Island battery in the civil war. Then he removed to this city, where he remained until 1887, when he removed to Morristown. For 17 years he was professor of the practice of medicine in the Homeopathic Medical college and for ten years secretary of the faculty. He was also connected with the Homeopathic hospital. He belonged to the New England society, to the Washington association of New Jersey and to the Historical society of New Jersey. The funeral will be held today, and the burial will be in Providence.

Nine Killed in Collision.

Escanaba, Mich., Feb. 9.—Chicago and Northwestern passenger train No. 21, known as the Peck Mountain accommodation, which runs between this city and Metropolitan, was wrecked in a rear end collision at Ford river switch last night. Nine persons were killed, three were reported missing and five seriously and four slightly injured. The dead are: W. L. Hill of Escanaba, baggage man on the accommodation train; William Dillon of Escanaba, brakeman on the accommodation train; Miss Seymour, section P. Delta county, Mich.; Charles Martin of Escanaba, civil engineer; Ram Green of Negaunee, agent of the Upper Peninsula Brewing company; unknown woman, body charred beyond recognition.

Signal Honor to Baron Fava.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Baron Fava, the Italian ambassador here, has lately received a distinguished honor from the king of Italy and the Italian government by having the Grand Cordon of the Order of the Crown of Italy conferred upon him. This is the last and highest order in Italy, and its bestowal upon Baron Fava is regarded as a mark of special favor for his services in Washington covering 18 years. This is in addition to the rank of senator which King Humbert conferred on the ambassador during his visit to Italy last summer.

Helgoland Wreck Disappears.

St. John's, N. F., Feb. 9.—The German consul has been notified of the disappearance of the last vestige of the wreck of the German-American Petroleum company's steamer Helgoland, which was sunk in St. Mary's bay early last month. Presumably the vessel has broken into pieces. Nothing is now visible of the bodies of victims formerly seen among the rocks. It is feared all have been swept seaward, and there is little prospect now of any being recovered for decent burial.

Transported Back From Manila.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The war department is informed of the arrival of the transports Indiana, Pathan and Sheridan at San Francisco from Manila. Aboard the Sherman were Majors Cook, Twenty-sixth infantry, and Matthews and a number of other officers and sick and discharged soldiers. The Indiana transported over 100 bodies of deceased soldiers.

Williams Found Guilty.

Trenton, Feb. 9.—Edward Williams, colored, has been convicted of murder in the first degree in this city for killing Minnie Riskey, a white woman, on Thanksgiving day. The murder occurred on the farm of William White, near Hamilton Square, during the absence of the White family, by whom Williams and his victim were employed.

Henry M. Stanley Seriously Ill.

London, Feb. 9.—Sir Henry Morton Stanley, the celebrated African explorer and a Unionist Liberal member of parliament for North Lambeth, was taken suddenly ill with gastritis in the house of commons and is in a somewhat serious condition.

Drowned in Chautauque Lake.

Jamesstown, N. Y., Feb. 9.—James Ripley of Chautauque while driving over the ice on Chautauque lake was drowned.

ROMAN FISH MANIA.

Fortunes Were Lavished Upon the Finny Pets and Their Ponds.

Fish were in great demand at Rome, and incredible sums might be made by fish ponds or wasted on them. The humble fish pond of the people, supplied with rainwater and replenished by fish taken out of rivers or lakes, brought in large returns. The aristocratic fish pond, furnished by Neptune and constructed with elaborate art, was more apt to empty pockets than to fill them. It cost a fortune to build it, to stock it and to feed the fish. One possessor of such a fish nursery made nearly £200 a year by it, but it cost the whole profit to keep it up. They were expensive toys rather than serious investments. Varro once saw a sacred tank in Lydia containing fish which came to the edge at the sound of a flute and which no one was allowed to touch. The fish of the Roman noble are, he says, nearly as sacred.

Hortensius, who had spent a mint of money on his salt water fish tanks at Baebus, was found out in buying all the fish for his table at Pozzuoli. He fed his fishes himself and was much more anxious lest they should be hungry "than I am about my asses, which bring me in a good profit." Varro scornfully remarks. Half the fishermen of the place were employed in catching small fish to give to the big ones, and salted fish was provided when the sea was too rough for the boats to go out. Hortensius would make you a present of a team of mules sooner than of a single one of his mullets.

Lucullus gave carte blanche to his architect to ruin himself if he could manage, by means of subterranean passages, to contrive a sort of tide in his tanks at Baiae, so as to keep the water cool in summer, when fishes in confinement suffer much from the heat, as I have been told at the Naples aquarium, a beautiful and wonderful place, surpassing the dreams even of a Roman fish mania.

Varro speaks of some one who was more anxious about his sick fishes than about his sick slaves, but the story of the Roman "who fattened his lambs on his slaves" belongs to after times. Like other stories which are told for the benefit of youth, it lacks exactitude. This seems to have been the truth: A millionaire freedman of the name of Pollio Vedius was entertaining Augustus at supper when a slave broke a crystal goblet. Pollio, enraged, ordered him to be thrown to the fishes. The slave appealed to the emperor, who asked his host to pardon him, but Pollio refused. Augustus then pardoned the man himself and had all of Pollio's crystal goblets broken and the fish pond filled up.—Contemporary Review.

MADE WITH TANSY.

Dishes That Used to Be Flavored With the Herb.

In old world cookery books we always find recipes for various puddings and fritters made with tansy. From time to time these recipes are quoted in papers devoted to cookery, though it is doubtful whether modern housewives know the use of this plant in any way whatever. Moreover, it is open to question whether the writers of these papers know what manner of delicacy they are recommending to their readers.

For one thing, tansy is extremely bitter; indeed so much so that it used to be eaten as a representative of the bitter herbs which the Israelites were commanded to eat at Passover. It is easy to believe, therefore, that tansy was more used as a tonic or as a mortification to the flesh than a tasty pudding or a more frivolous fritter. Yet in an old cookery book of 1792 we find recipes for both delicacies. But having mixed such good things together as milk, bread crumbs, ratafia essence, lemon, eggs and butter it is difficult to see how tansy could be added as much "tansy juice as would give it a flavor." A wine sauce, moreover, was to be served with the fritters after cooking them in boiling lard. The spinach juice, to make the fritters green, might also well have been omitted. But then, however, they would not have been tansy fritters.

Tasty pudding was made with Naples biscuits, cream, eggs and a little sugar, a few tansy leaves and spinach to make it green. The mixture was stirred over the fire till thick, then put in a cloth, doured and buttered, boiled three-quarters of an hour and served with wine sauce.

The tansy is a plant which grows two or three feet high, with dark green, feathery foliage and neat buttonlike flowers of bright yellow color. Every part of it is bitter and aromatic and is used in medicine "and good for the stomach," as an old writer says.

It is said to be good for the gout, also that it might be rubbed with tansy wadding bluebottles will strictly avoid it. This might be useful, but what about the meat? Would cooking obliterate the bitter flavor? It is possible that we might have to sympathize with the bluebottle. A garden variety is smaller in stature and has very much crisper foliage. It is quite hardy and will grow in any soil.—Chicago News.

His Best Thanks.

A certain militia officer is much disliked by his men. One evening, as he was returning home, he slipped into some deep water. A private in his regiment, however, happened to see him, and after some trouble succeeded in pulling him out. The officer was very profuse in his thanks and asked his rescuer the best way he could reward him.

"The best way you can reward me," said the soldier, "is to say nothing about it."

"Why, my dear fellow," said the astonished officer, "why do you wish me to say nothing about it?"

"Because if the other fellows knew I'd pulled you out they'd chuck me in!"—London Answers.

Getting Up Socially.

"She is certainly rising in the social scale."

"Yes?"

"Oh, yes, indeed! She is snubbed by a better class of people each succeeding year."—Detroit Journal.

Double Action.

Sillicus—Money will do anything for a man.

Cynicus—Perhaps that's the reason man reciprocates and would do anything for money.—Philadelphia Record.

The Greatest Day on the Face of the Earth is That of Bengal.

Measured in a straight line from the two inclosing peninsulas, its extent is about 420,000 square miles.

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MOON AND THE WEATHER.

Belief That Our Satellite Influences Changes in a False One.

A belief that the moon has a potent influence on weather changes is well nigh universal. The moon's appearance goes through such marked changes each month that it would be very natural to attribute weather changes to them. In this way undoubtedly such sayings as these have arisen: "The weather won't change until the moon changes out." "If the moon lies so water cannot run out, we shall have a drought." "A wet moon is one upon which a huntsman can hang his horn," etc. Diligent inquiry at one time as to the popular belief regarding this question brought out the view, more persistent than any other, that more rain will occur at the new than at the full moon. Singularly enough, in Connecticut on Long Island sound there does seem to be such a law, but it does not hold in the interior of the country, and a test on the Pacific coast showed, if anything, exactly the opposite. At London, where observations have been made for more than a century, a careful computation for the whole period has shown no effect.

If we reflect that the moon is dead and does not have any air even upon it, that it always shows the same face to the earth, that its changes are simply due to changes in its position as respects the earth and sun, and that its varying appearances are all borrowed, we see how absurd the notion is that the moon does influence our weather. There is, however, another argument that appears quite valid at first sight. If the moon can raise a tide of 60 feet in the ocean, why may it not raise a tremendous tide in the extremely tenuous air, 800 times lighter than water, or a tide of about 48,000 feet, and if so, it seems easy to see that such a commotion would affect our weather enormously.

The tide of 60 feet the highest in the world is experienced only in the bay of Fundy and is due to the configuration of the Atlantic coast. In the open Pacific the tide is only a little over one foot. Most careful observations of a lunar atmospheric tide have been made at St. Helena, in mid-ocean, and have shown a tide a little more than .001 inch. Since ordinary weather changes affect the pressure 1,000 times as much, we see how extremely insignificant the moon's total effect must be.

There is a common saying, "The full moon has power to drive away clouds," and some computations seem to bear out this idea. If any one will look to the east as the rising full moon shines through the clouds, he will often see the clouds disappear. There is a natural explanation for this, however, and in no wise dependent upon the moon. A long series of observations has shown a diurnal range in cloudiness with a minimum point, or time of least clouds, from 6 to 9 p. m., hence we see that as the full moon rises and advances in the sky during this period there will often appear a diminution of clouds. Lord Rosse turned his big reflecting telescope (so big that a tall man walking erect in it could carry a spread umbrella) toward the moon and found that, if anything, the earth received just a little chilling from the full moon. More recently the bolometer, an instrument which can measure less than one millionth of a degree of temperature change, has shown that the earth receives a tiny bit of heat from the full moon. The evidence is cumulative and overwhelming that no weather changes can be ascribed to the moon.—Professor H. A. Hazen in Popular Science.

The Limit of Toolmaking.

If the human race continues to exist and to advance in morals, comfort and elegance of living, toolmaking must begin and must be carried to what now appears to be a high development. What is the limit of the toolmaker's art, and when and where should or must toolmaking stop?

Commercially speaking, it must stop in any particular case when more toolmaking cannot cheapen the total time cost of production. If the demand for the product is unlimited, then the only limitation in toolmaking is the limit of human understanding and mechanical resources.

Broadly speaking, it is conceivable that in some special production toolmaking may be carried to a point where no further profitable advance can be made, and it is also conceivable that there may be things useful and desirable to the few which cannot be improved of quality and lowering of cost be made useful and desirable to the many. Speaking narrowly, from existing facts and conditions, it seems probable that the limit of toolmaking has never been reached in any particular case.—Engineering Magazine.

An Infant Prodigy.

The infant prodigy, so frequently met with in the annals of English art, was strongly instanced in the case of Sir Thomas Lawrence—the last of the older portrait painters. As a child he was dandied on the public knee because of his precocity in reciting poetry; at 5 he was "taking likenesses" for a moneyed consideration, and at 12 he is said to have been the main support of his family. Raphael, with genius at his back, did not come to maturity so quickly, nor did Rubens, triumphant at Antwerp, hold popular applause so long; for Lawrence kept his admiring public wondering both as man and boy. His whole career was brilliant, yet not through intrinsic force; his art was successful without being great; he was honored and praised down to his grave and yet he possessed not genius. There are men who achieve popular success without genius. Lawrence was one of them.—Century.

First Place Among Liars.

A coterie of his Hoosier constituents surrounded an Indiana congressman in a Washington hotel recently, and one remarked, naming a statesman who had failed to secure an appointment for a friend, that he was the biggest liar he ever knew.

"You should have known a man who lived in Logansport," replied the congressman. "He was always talking about a fine horse which he said he owned, when as a matter of fact he never owned a pound of horseflesh in his life. But he talked about it so much that he got to believe it himself, and one day he went to Indianapolis and bought a saddle and bridle. You've got to give a man like that first place."

Sure Cure.

Doctor—"It's a nervous affection that makes your husband hiccup so persistently."

Wife—"Yes; but what will cure him?"

Doctor—"One almost certain remedy is to scare him in some way."

Wife—"Suppose you present your bill, then?"—Philadelphia Press.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Rev. L. H. Thayer, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school in the chapel at 12:00. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Vesper service at 7:30. All are welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. George W. Gile, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school in the chapel at 12:00. Prayer meetings Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:45 p. m. All are invited.

FREEMILL BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Robert L. Dunston, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 3:30 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30. Prayer and social meeting Friday evening.

OLD ST. JOHN'S CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.

Church hill, Rev. Henry E. Hovey, rector. Sunday, at 10:30 a. m., morning prayer, litany and sermon. Holy communion, first Sunday in every month and the greater festivals, 12:00. Holy days, 8:30 a. m. Evensong, Sundays, 3:00 p. m. Fridays, Ember days, in chapel at 5:00 p. m. Parish Sunday school in chapel at 3:00 p. m. At the evensong service, both in church and chapel, the seats are free. At all the services strangers are cordially welcomed and provided for.

CHRIST CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.

Madison street, head of Austin street. Rev. Charles LeV. Brine, rector. On Sundays, holy communion at 7:30, matins or holy communion at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12:00. Evensong at 7:30 p. m. On week days, matins (daily) at 9:00 a. m., evensong (daily) at 5:00, on Friday, evensong at 7:30 p. m., holy communion, Thursday at 7:30 a. m. On holy days, holy communion at 7:30, matins at 9:00 a. m., evensong at 7:30 p. m. Seats free and unappropriated. Good music. All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

State street, Rev. Wm. Warren, pastor. Morning prayer at 10:00. Preaching service 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12:00. Epworth League meeting at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Court street, Rev. Myron Tyler, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 12:00. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Evensong service at 7:30. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting on Tuesday evening and prayer meeting on Friday evening at 7:30. All are welcome.

CHURCH OF CHRIST—UNIVERSALIST.

Pleasant street, corner Jenkins avenue. Rev. George E. Leighton, pastor. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Sunday school at 12:00. Administration of the holy sacrament the first Sunday in the month at 11:45 a. m. Good music. Y. P. C. U. meetings every Sunday evening at 6:30 in the vestry. Strangers are especially welcome.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Alfred Gooding, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 12:00. All are invited.

ADVENT CHURCH.

C. M. Seamans, pastor. Social service at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 2:45 and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12:00. M. Loyal Workers meeting at 6:00 p. m. Prayer service at 7:15 p. m. All are invited.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

Rev. Eugene M. O'Callaghan, pastor. Services at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Vespers at 3:00 p. m.

Y. M. C. A.

Association rooms open from 9:00 to 10:30 a. m. and from 1:00 to 6:00 p. m. Men's meeting at 4:00 p. m. Open week days from 9:00 a. m. to 10:00 p. m.

PEOPLE'S CHURCH.

Rev. R. L. Harris, pastor. Service from 11 to 12 every Sunday morning. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Praise meeting at 7:30 p. m. Preaching at 8 p. m. Young people's meeting on Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Cottage meetings on Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services, which are free to all.

SALVATION ARMY.

Meetings will be held all day in the hall on Market street. Hall drill at 7:30 a. m. Holiness meeting at 10:00 a. m. Free and easy at 3:00 p. m. Salvation meeting at 8:00 p. m.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. E. C. Andrews, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12:00. Epworth League meeting at 6:00 p. m. Evensong service at 7:00. All are cordially invited.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. E. W. Kennison, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. Sunday school at 12:00. Prayer meeting at 7:00 p. m.

SECOND CHRISTIAN CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. Mr. Hall, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6:40 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. All are welcome.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SOUTH ELIOT.

Rev. Geo. W. Brown, pastor. Singing school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 11:30 a. m. Preaching at 2:00 and 7:30 p. m. All are welcome.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, SOUTH ELIOT.

Rev. E. W. Kennison, pastor. Sunday school at 1:00 p. m. Preaching at 2:00 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m.

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Concord and points North, 10:30 a. m., 1:00, 3:00 p. m.
Concord and way stations, 10:30 a. m., 6:30 p. m.
North Conway and way stations, 11:00 a. m., 3:00, 6:30, 9:00 p. m.
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Dover, 7:30, 11:00 a. m., 5:30, 6:30, 9:00 p. m.
Newcastle, 9:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m.
Jewington, 9:30 a. m., 6:30 p. m.
Kittery and York, 11:00 a. m., 6:00 p. m.
Allet, 11:00 a. m., 3:00 p. m.
Sundays, 11:00 a. m.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, West and South, 7:45, 10:35 a. m., 4:55, 6:50 p. m.
Boston and way stations, 10:25 a. m., 1:50, 6:5 p. m.
All points East, 9:25 a. m., 1:50, 7:00 p. m.
Portland and way stations, 9:25 a. m., 1:50, 7:00 p. m.
Concord and points North, 8:00, 9:25 a. m., 12:30, 4:55, 6:50 p. m.
Manchester and way stations, 8:00, 12:20 a. m., 4:55 p. m.
North Conway and way stations, 9:25 a. m., 12:25, 1:55, 3:45, 6:30, 4:20, 5:50, 6:00 p. m.
Dover, 8:00 a. m., 1:50, 4:55, 7:00 p. m.
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Sundays, 4:30 p. m.

GOVERNMENT FERRY.

TIME TABLE.

Leave Ferry yard—8:00, 8:30, 8:40, 9:15, 10:10, 11:45 p. m. 1:45, 2:05, 3:00, 4:00, 4:45, 5:15, 7:00 a. m. (Wednesdays and Saturdays), Sundays, 9 a. m., 10:15 a. m., 12:10, 12:30 p. m. Holidays, 10, 10:30, 11:00 a. m.

Leave Portsmouth—4:10, 8:30, 8:50, 9:10, 10:00 a. m., 12:15, 1:55, 3:45, 6:30, 4:20, 5:50, 6:00 p. m. (Wednesdays and Saturdays), 8 a. m., 9:05, 10:00 a. m., 12:30 a. m., 12:50, 12:55 p. m. Holidays, 10:00, 11:00 a. m., 12:30 p. m.

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FOR PORTLAND, 9:55, 10:45 a. m., 2:45, 8:50, 9:20 p. m. Sundays, 10:45 a. m., 5:55, 1 p. m.

FOR OLD ORCHARD and PORTLAND, 9:55 a. m., 2:45, 5:22 p. m. Sundays, 8:00, a. m.

FOR NORTH CONWAY, 9:55. a. m., 2:45 p. m.

FOR SOMERSWORTH, 4:50, 9:45, 9:53 a. m., 2:40, 2:45, 5:22 p. m.

FOR ROCHESTER, 9:55 a. m., 2:40, 2:45, 5:30 p. m.

FOR DOVER, 4:50, 9:45 a. m., 12:30, 2:40, 5:22, 8:52 p. m. Sundays, 8:00, 10:45 a. m., 8:57 p. m.

FOR NORTH HAMPTON and HAMPTON, 7:20, 8:15, 10:53 a. m., 5:00 p. m. Sundays 8:00 a. m., 5:00 p. m.

Trains for Portsmouth

LAVER BOSTON, 7:30, 9:00, 10:10 a. m., 12:30, 3:30, 4:45, 7:00, 7:45 p. m. Sundays, 4:30, 8:20, 9:00 a. m., 6:40, 7:00 p. m.

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Monday, Feb. 12 at 10 a. m.,

At the "Abendino Robinson" farm now occupied by C. E. Ludston, on the Shoreline Road, Portsmouth, N. H., near the Treatise park.

Sale will include: eleven cows, including two new milch cows, two good work horses, about twelve tons of first class hay, about forty tons of coal, one horse-power engine, cutter, one corn planter, one Democrat wagon, one farm wagon, one driving sleigh, one "Traverse" runner, one double sleigh, heavy one day rake, one mowing machine, one narrow, one cultivator, one horse ice and numerous other articles.

Terms, cash. Sale positive Monday, Feb. 12 at 10 a. m., regardless of weather. Property can be inspected at any time by applying to the owner, C. E. Ludston.

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THE HERALD.

SATURDAY, FEB. 10, 1900.

CITY BRIEFS

Cold snap coming, and the skaters smile.

Kennedy's Medical Discovery, Globe Grocery Co.

Three drunks were booked at the police station on Friday night.

The smelt season at Great Bay is said not to have been very good.

No games were played in the Warner whist tournament, Friday evening.

Ullie Akerstrom is one of the most popular actresses that ever visited this city.

Quite a party from Dover came down to the dance of the Merrimac Social club.

Conner, photographer studio, (formerly Nickerson's) No. 1 Congress street.

The two last performances of the Corse Payton company this afternoon and evening.

The "S. G." London is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

New specialties will be introduced at the performances at Music hall this afternoon and evening.

The officers of the Rochester company of the state militia are expected to attend Company B's ball.

The members of the examining board of the Second regiment passed the night at the Rockingham.

The Graffort club held a musicale Friday afternoon, which was very entertaining and well attended.

Rubber heels become very popular and John G. Mott is fitting out the local public with an excellent article.

Everybody seems to be going to the Globe Grocery Co., to get a half pound of Baking Powder worth twenty cents, free.

Sagamore lodge, No. 11, A. O. U. W., at a special meeting on Friday evening, discussed some changes in the by-laws.

The funeral services over the remains of Robert Neal will be held from the home in Newcastle, at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Dustin will deliver a lecture upon Abraham Lincoln in the Pearl street church next Monday evening. Admission, ten cents.

The sidewalk on Bow street should be sanded as it is very slippery and pedestrians are in danger of hurting themselves badly should they fall.

The Globe Grocery Co., finding themselves overstocked with jackets owing to the season, offer the following lots at less than the cost of manufacture. Many of these jackets were sold by us at less than the regular wholesale cost and now here goes another slash:

Seventeen jackets, nearly all silk lined, retailing at from \$4.50 to \$8.50 at \$1.50 each; nice serviceable jackets, last year's style.

Twenty-three jackets, misses' sizes, all new, all wool goods, covert, brown, and blue, \$2.50 each. We sold them \$3.50.

Fifteen jackets, garnet, blue, brown, all jerseys and diagonal goods, latest style, silk lined, retailing \$6.50 to \$8.50, \$4.00 each.

Thirty-two jackets. These were our leaders and we beat everything on them. Tans, blue, black, brown, castor, green, all the latest styles, silk and satin lined, sleeves and all, couldn't be matched in town less than \$15.00; we sold them \$9.50 to \$13.50. Take your choice for \$6.50 while they last.

Four jackets that sold at from \$16.00 to \$27.50. Take them for \$11.00.

SECOND REGIMENT OFFICERS EXAMINED.

The examining board of the Second regiment, N. H. N. G., met in this city on Friday evening, and examined the line and staff officers just elected.

The following officers were examined: Capt. Rollins of Dover for major, Corporal A. F. Ellis of Company I, Rochester, for second lieutenant;

First Lieut. J. H. Pevorley of Company B, for captain;

Second Lieut. G. F. Snow of Company B, for first lieutenant,

1. H. Washburn of Company B, for second lieutenant.

A FINE BIRD.

A fine game bird was received Friday night by Mr. John Sullivan of Washington street. The bird was purchased by Mr. Sullivan of Mr. Alex. P. Moul of York, Penn.

It was bred from some of the finest birds in the country, including the famous Eagle Heads, the Kelly Blues, the Henries, and the White Anzels.

Mr. Sullivan has many fine birds in his hennery, some of which he will breed to his new bird.

BRACHAN'S PILLS for Stomach and Liver Ill.

MARRIED A DESERTER

Benjamin Whitney, the Marine, Weds May Maud Mowe, After His Arrest.

Benjamin Whitney, the deserting marine who was captured on Hancock street on Friday evening, was married in the police station this morning to May Maud Mowe, his sweetheart. The ceremony was performed by Samuel R. Gardiner, justice of the peace.

The girl called at the police station shortly after Whitney's arrest and told the marshal her wishes in the matter. The marshal had no objection to the proposition, although this closing year of the nineteenth century was not a leap year. The genial official made the arrangements for the nuptial business and the girl was on time, as promised.

After the wedding, the groom was taken to the barracks, where he will have to face a court martial for "bob-tailing" himself from the place on August 13, 1898. He has been in this city since his desertion.

THREE OF A KIND.

Trio of Drunks Taken From Market Street Friday, Given Fines.

The trio of drunks arrested on Market street Friday afternoon were arraigned in police court before Judge Adams this morning. They were James Haley, better known as "Jenks" or "Offie Tucker," William Huntress of Kittery and a female. They were all drunk in a house on Market street and making a disturbance.

A complaint was made at the station with the result that all were barged.

"Jenks" was the first to face the court and pleaded guilty. He was ordered to pay a fine of \$8 and costs of \$7.67.

Huntress also pleaded guilty and was fined \$3 and costs of \$6.90.

The woman, who defied Officer Hilton to take her to the station without a warrant, said she was drunk when she did so. She got a fine of \$3 and costs of \$6.90.

The woman paid the whole of the fines and costs, amounting to \$24.47 and the three were released.

EXETER WANTS HIM.

William Brown Paid His Fine Here But Is Held For Exeter Officers.

William Brown, who was recently fined in police court here for drunkenness and who took a sneak from the city while he was supposed to be hunting after the money to settle with, had his fine paid this morning by the contractor he was employed by in Hampton, with the money due him. Brown has been locked up at the station here for the past week.

He is still held at the station for the Exeter officers, who are expected here today to take him on the serious complaint of having stolen live cattle from a pasture in Hampton and who is said to have disposed of them to Exeter parties.

He denies his guilt and says that he will have no difficulty in convincing a jury that he did not steal the cattle.

STOCKHOLDERS MEET.

Important Action of the P. K. & Y. Stockholders This Afternoon.

The stockholders of the Portsmouth, Kittery and York street railway company met at the office of the company in this city at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The meeting was called to consider several important questions.

The subjects before the stockholders were the matter of meeting the expenses of building the new ferryboat and to issue a small amount of additional stock and to consider the extension and improvement of St. Aspinquid park at York beach, which will be made a lively place during the coming summer.

JEW RAG GATHERER HURT.

Said to Have Been Thrown From His Cart and Badly Injured.

There was a report around the city this noon that a Portsmouth Jew rag collector had been thrown from his cart in Kittery this morning and badly hurt. One of his eyes was said to have been knocked out and that he was otherwise injured.

The report could not be verified by the Herald reporter up to the time of going to press.

PEARL STREET CHURCH.

The pastor of the Pearl street Baptist church will preach on Sunday morning upon "The Fires of Hell; Are They Burning Now? Who Kindles Them? When Do They End?" Evangelist W. H. Van Housen will sing. There will be a revival service in the evening, commencing with a praise service at 7.15.

"There is no little enemy." Little impurities in the blood are sources of great danger and should be expelled by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

PERSONALS

G. Ralph Loughton was in Boston on Friday.

Judge Samuel W. Emery passed Friday in Boston.

Col. John Pender has returned from his trip to Washington.

Civil Engineer Luther E. Gregory and wife have returned from Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Perkins are making an extended visit in West Medford, Mass.

Mr. Charles H. Stewart went to Boston this morning to visit the Massachusetts General hospital for treatment.

Mr. Andrews, clerk in the office of the inspector of the first light house district at Portland, was in town on Friday.

Fireman Will Winn of the Boston & Maine railroad is confined to his home on Prospect street with an attack of rheumatism.

Miss Carrie E. Jones of Salem, Mass., is passing a week in this city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hanson of Islington street.

Colonel Tetley of Laconia was in town on Friday and examined Second Lieutenant elect Washburn of Company B, Second regiment.

Mrs. Arthur W. Walker and daughter returned on Friday afternoon from Ohio, where they have been visiting since the Christmas holidays.

William Littlefield of Kennebunk is in town canvassing the city for a patent pants stretcher. Mr. Littlefield, while here, renewed the acquaintance of Officer Lamont Hilton, a native of Kennebunk, the first time the two have met, since both were boys. Mr. Littlefield is suffering from a partial paralysis of the optic nerve.

OBITUARY.

A. Brackett Trefethen.

Mr. A. Brackett Trefethen died at his home on South street, Friday evening, about ten o'clock, aged sixty-eight years. He had been ill for some time and his demise was not unexpected. Mr. Trefethen was one of the most highly respected business men in Portsmouth. As a contractor for brick masonry, he had taken part in the erection of many of the prominent buildings in the city and had an enviable reputation for thrift and integrity. He had served the city as alderman. There survive him a wife and four sons and one sister.

Oren Batchelder.

Oren Batchelder, a well known resident of Little Bear's Head, North Hampton, died there this morning at the age of sixty-two years. He leaves two sons. He was the last of the well known family of Batchelders in the town.

THEIR SECOND ANNUAL.

The second annual concert and ball of the Merrimac Social club took place at Peirce hall, Friday evening. A fine concert was rendered and each number was encored.

The concert programme was as follows:

1. Selection by the Orchestra.
2. Song, "My Hello Girl," Mr. Freeman Caswell
3. Song, "A Dream," Miss Mildred Barstow
4. Character Sketch, Messrs. Harrington and Banks

Following the concert came the grand march, led by Mr. George Cogan and Miss Kate Quinlan, followed by fifty couples.

The music was furnished by Joy and Philbrick's orchestra of six pieces.

The officers of this popular organization are the following well-known young men:

President, G. T. Cogan;
Vice President, J. J. Hefferman;
Treasurer, G. P. Scott;
Secretary, F. P. Clair.

CHANGES IN THE SCHOOL SIGNAL.

Beginning with Monday morning, Feb. 12th, the no-school storm signal will be rung as follows:

7.45 A. M., cancels the forenoon session for all grades.

8.15 A. M., cancels the forenoon session for the four lowest grades and the kindergarten.

12.15 P. M., cancels the afternoon session for all grades.

1.15 P. M., cancels the afternoon session for the four lower grades.

The 11.30 signal is abolished.

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ELIOT PEOPLE COMPLAIN.

Complaint is made by people who travel through that town that the trees along the public highway are badly in need of trimming. In many places the limbs of the trees encroach upon the road to such an extent as to endanger travelers. Where are the road commissioners?

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil at your druggists.

COCK FIGHT IN ELIOT.

Manchester and Dover Sports Pull Off a Main There On Friday.

Eliot was the scene of a big cock fight on Friday, the birds engaged being backed by Dover and Manchester sports. The Manchester sports arrived in Dover on the 10.30 train and were immediately joined by the Dover crowd and proceeded across the New Hampshire line. Arrangements had evidently been made for the party, a pit having been constructed in an old barn on the Dover road.

The main was to consist of seven battles and was for \$100 a side, the best four out of seven winning both purses. A stake of \$10 was also to go to the winner of each fight.

The Manchester birds fought the Dover birds to a standstill, winning the first four battles and the main.

The first fight lasted three quarters of an hour, and is said to have been one of the fiercest battles ever witnessed between game cocks in this part of the country. In the fourth and last fight the Manchester bird had its wing broken immediately upon being dropped into the pit, but fought gamely and finally defeated its antagonist.

The Manchester birds were raised in Brockton, Mass., and were handled by men from that city. The Dover birds were handled by Cochecho City sports.

The Manchester party was made up of about twenty-five, and the spectators altogether numbered about sixty. The Dover sports backed their birds heavily, and bets ranged from \$5 to \$100. Consequently the Manchester contingent carried away upwards of \$2000.

The Dover men are feeling considerably sore over their loss, as they figured in a similar defeat with Rochester parties only last week.

However, last year the Dover sports won from the Manchester crowd, so between these two it is practically a case of break even.

PROBABLY FATALITY HURT.

A Truckman For Wood Brothers Badly Injured At Kittery.

A truckman for Wood Brothers of this city, by the name of William Duffy, was probably fatally injured while at work at the navy yard freight station in Kittery at about 3.30 o'clock on Friday afternoon.

He was engaged in unloading timber when a heavy stick fell off the platform car on which it was loaded, knocked the man down and pinned him to the frozen ground, the timber resting across his chest and stomach.

His fellow workmen lifted the timber from his body as quickly as possible and summoned Dr. E. E. Shapleigh to attend him. The physician found that three ribs were fractured and that internal injuries had been sustained. Dr. Shapleigh made the sufferer as comfortable as possible and had him taken to his home here.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

If there is one thing on which the housewife prides herself, it is that of having her laundering done nicely, so that the wearing apparel may be the admiration of all. The washing is a small matter, anyone almost can do that, but to have the linen present that flexible and glossy appearance after being ironed requires a fine quality of starch.

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BOWLING.

In the city bowling leagues, Friday evening, the Kearsarge team defeated the Rockinghams, although the latter had the highest total. How the winners took two out of the three strings is told by the following figures:

KEARSARGE.			
Manson	93	80	73-246
Prizzell	80	72	93-245
Damo	70	93	81-246
Shaw	65	62	89-216
Campbell	63	85	83-231
371 392 419 1182			

ROCKINGHAMS.

Caswell	100	73	90-263
Liebrook	72	75	92-239
Churchill	73	83	72-228
Johnson	72	74	71-226
Woods	93	64	78-235
410 369 406 1185			

CAPTURED A DESERTER.

Benjamin Whitney, a deserter from the United States marine corps on August 13th, 1898, was taken into custody by the police, Friday evening. Whitney has been living on Hancock street the greater part of the time since he took French leave of this navy yard.

PORTSMOUTH MAN BANKRUPT.

Notices have been received in this city, to the effect that George L. Brown, a former Portsmouth man, engaged in business in Minneapolis, has filed a petition of bankruptcy in that city. Mr. Brown is well known here.

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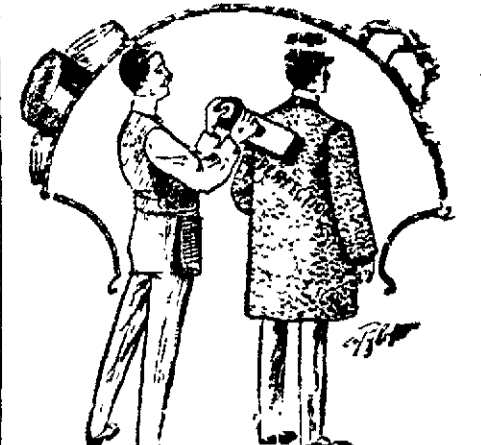
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